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REMARKS

Claims 3-6 and 21-27 are pending. The Advisory Action dated November 19, 2002, has been carefully considered. Applicant appreciates that the Examiner has allowed Claims 3-6 and 21-27. Claims 1, 2, 7 and 8 have been canceled without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter contained therein.

CONCLUSION

It is respectfully submitted that Claims 3-6 and 21-27 are presently in condition for immediate allowance, and such action is requested. If, however, any matters remain that could be clarified by Examiner's Amendment, the Examiner is cordially invited to contact the undersigned by telephone at the number below.

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